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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:

Holman et al.

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For: INTEGRAL HUB AND STRAIN RELIEF

REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS OF ATTORNEY AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Dear Sir:

SciMed Life Systems, Inc., the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-identified patent/application, hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney and appoints the following attorneys and/or agents to prosecute the above-identified patent or application, including all continuations and divisionals thereof, and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: David M. Crompton, Reg. No. 36,772; Glenn M. Seager, Reg. No. 36,926; Brian N. Tufte, Reg. No. 38,638; Luke Dohmen, Reg. No. 36,783; Peter J. Gafner, Reg. No. 36,517; Robert E. Atkinson, Reg. No. 36,433; and Todd P. Messal, Reg. No. P42,883.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b), SciMed Life Systems, Inc., a corporation certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of an assignment recorded August 21, 1995, at Reel 7624, Frame 0969.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee by virtue of the attached Limited Authorization to Act on Behalf of Assignee Regarding Certain Patent Matters.

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC.

Date:

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that the correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the:

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231 on this Zyway of _ Seager & Tune, LLC

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LIMITED AUTHORIZATION TO ACT ON BEHALF OF ASSIGNEE REGARDING CERTAIN PATENT MATTERS EFFECTIVE THROUGH: December 31, 1998

I, Paul W. Sandman, as Sr. Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel of Boston Scientific Corporation, Inc., the controlling corporation of:

SCIMED Life Systems, Inc.; Boston Scientific Corporation Northwest Technology Center, Inc.; Symbiosis Corporation; Meadox Medicals, Inc.; E.P. Technologies, Inc.; Cardiovascular Imaging Systems, Inc.; BSC Technology, Inc.; Boston Scientific Technology, Inc.; SCIMED Technology, Inc.; Meadox Technology, Inc.; and Boston Scientific, Limited,

hereby authorize the following registered patent attorneys (1) to act on behalf of any of the corporations identified above with regard to matters pending before the United States Patent and Trademark Office and (2) to execute documents establishing power of attorney of foreign patent agent(s)/attorney(s) with regard to matters pending before a corresponding foreign patent office:

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Paul W Sandman

Sr. Vice President, Secretary and

General Counsel

Score 21,1997
Date

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On this 2/s+ day of October, 1997 before me personally appeared Paul W. Sandman to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Kerren B. Trapaca Notary Public